

HAMPTON NEWS AND ADVERTISEMENTS.

HOLT CALLS A HALT

Thinks Newport News is "Shin-
nying" Out of Bounds.

THERE'S A LIMIT TO LIMITS

President Cumming, of the Business Men's
Association, Makes a Formal Ad-
dress of Acceptance Be-
fore That Body.

The Business Men's Association met
in regular monthly session in its rooms
in the Exchange Building. Quite an
amount of routine business was trans-
acted.

The Association, by its action last
night, demonstrated its purpose to fight
the proposed extension of the limits of
the city of Newport News, when it
comes to stepping over into Elizabeth
City county, as is now proposed by the
Business Men's Association of NEWPORT
NEWS.

There were present when President
W. J. A. Cumming called the body to
order: Messrs. E. D. Newell, H. S.
Thompson, W. E. Lawson, C. T. Hol-
daway, Albert Howe, Dr. J. H. Prissy
and J. V. McKord.

Secretary V. P. Holt read the minutes
of the previous meeting and those of
several special meetings.

President Cumming stated that a
communication had been handed him,
endorsed by the proprietors of the
Chamberlin and Hygeia Hotels, asking
the Business Men's Association to co-
operate with the gentlemen in securing
the next meeting of the Hardware
Men's Association, which is now in
session in Pittsburgh.

The following resolution inviting the
Association to come to Old Point in 1930
was unanimously passed, Mr. H. S.
Thompson framing it:

"Resolved—That the Business Men's
Association of Hampton, Va., heartily
endorse the invitation of the Hygeia
and Chamberlin Hotels to the National
Hardware Association now in session
at Pittsburgh, to hold its next annual
meeting at Old Point Comfort, and of-
fers its cooperation."

Secretary Holt said he had received
a letter from the Business Men's Asso-
ciation of Williamsburg, which was re-
cently organized, asking for informa-
tion concerning the organization of such
an institution. He had furnished the
desired information.

The committee appointed to investi-
gate and report on the furniture,
which was formerly used by the Board
of Trade, reported that they had seen
nearly all the members of the asso-
ciation, all of whom were perfectly
willing to make the Business Men's
Association a present of the furniture.
The gift was received with thanks and
the committee discharged.

Secretary Holt called the attention of
the Association to several articles
which have appeared in the Daily Press
giving the proposed extension of the
limits of Newport News as proposed by
the Business Men's Association of the
shipbuilding city. The articles referred
to stated that a movement had been
begun to increase the limits so as to
extend to Riverview in Elizabeth City
county. He said he simply placed this
before the body and it was then in-
quired whether Elizabeth City county
would be willing to give up her prop-
erty in order to increase the limits of
Newport News. He then referred to
the contest of the election when Mr.
B. B. Burton was a candidate for the Sen-
ate.

The matter was informally discussed,
after which the following gentlemen
were appointed a committee to investi-
gate and ascertain the advisability of
such a step: Messrs. H. S. Thompson,
V. P. Holt, W. E. Lawson and S. Gor-
don Cumming.

The second resolution was inviting
the Phoebe Business Men's Association
to work jointly with Hampton in
opposing such a step when the leg-
islature convenes.

President Cumming, who was chosen
chief officer of the Association at its
last meeting, then made the following
interesting address accepting the high
honor which had been bestowed upon him:

"Gentlemen of the Business Men's As-
sociation of Hampton:
"You have honored me by placing me
in the chair of president of this Asso-
ciation. I heartily thank you for the
honor and beg to assure you that it
shall be my object and aim to further
the interests of this Association, which
I regard as the interests of the com-
munity itself, all and sundry."

"During the two years of its existence,
the Association has done much for the
benefit of the town and deserves the
support of the entire business com-
munity, and its co-operation. It is not
necessary to enumerate the occasions
wherein the Association has received
material improvement for the town."

"Agitation accomplishes much in the
way of educating the public in spite of
the deplorable opposition sometimes
met with, but much of what has been
aimed at and agitated, yet remains un-
fulfilled, though the agitation and dis-
cussion of matters of public interest,
has been of benefit in enlightening the
public upon the merits of the questions
under consideration, such as sewerage,
paving, &c. It is more to the purpose
to call to mind some of the things yet
to be done, and whose consideration,
agitation upon what position this Asso-
ciation may take with regard to the
same."

"The Business and public inter-
ests of a thriving and growing com-
munity, such as our own, where many ad-
vantages offer themselves for new en-
terprises and where valuable privileges
and franchises are in demand and also
the private welfare of citizens and prop-
erty owners, frequently require such
an oversight, furtherance and protec-
tion as cannot be given by the munici-
pal authorities alone, however vigi-
lant and energetic they may be. Un-
der such circumstances an organization
of this kind finds frequently its dis-
tinct field of labor and responsibility in
covering the needs of the public, the
necessity for improvements in method of
public work, theories and short-sighted
policy that may have been pursued and
the remedies for the same. The term
Business Men's Association does not
necessarily imply that we are to take
cognizance only of matters of trade and
commerce. Our province is to cover the
material advancement of every inter-
est involving the prosperity of the com-
munity and its reputation in the out-
side world."

"The presumably extended circle of
its membership renders it more prob-
able that many matters would be
brought to the attention of such an
association than would ever reach the
municipal council and if the associa-
tion is what it should be a represen-

tative body of thorough business men,
such matters examined into and passed
and endorsed by it, would receive
fuller consideration on their merits."

"Any matters therefore coming to the
knowledge of the members of this Asso-
ciation, pertaining to the welfare of the
town and community and calculated
to advance its prosperity, should be
brought to the attention of the Asso-
ciation."

"Few localities possess such natural
advantages of location, such advan-
tages of accessibility by land or water,
such a record for health, such beautiful
sites for residences, such openings for
commercial and manufacturing enter-
prises, such attractiveness as a seaside
summer resort, as our own immediate
and contiguous territory. There is a
good measure of prosperity in our com-
munity, but the fault lies with us largely,
that we are not far more prosperous.
A short-sighted, narrow spirit seems to
keep us from improving the advantages
we have. The community is unable
to sustain such a course of public
improvement of a substantial and per-
manent character as will put it in the
van as a beautiful, attractive and
prosperous place. Why should we not
do so, rather than have our town re-
main what we well know is too often
said to be, rather, at all seasons
dirty and repulsive."

"Let us rather bend every energy to
make our town 'a thing of beauty and
a joy forever.' To the furtherance and
accomplishment of a consummation
dearly to be wished, I bespeak the
earnest and hearty co-operation of
every member of this Association."

In closing Mr. Cumming made the
following suggestions:
"I would suggest the consideration of
such matters as a fixed building line
on the business streets,
"Improved accommodations for the
public on the part of the express com-
panies."

"The question of a building and sani-
tary inspection and building permit.
"The prohibition of the erection of
frame buildings within certain limits.
"The placing of names of streets on
corners."

"The consideration of the sewerage
and paving questions.
"The extension of the corporate lim-
its."

"The question of sewerage was dis-
cussed at some length.
Mr. H. S. Thompson advocated and
commended the suggestion of President
Cumming in having a building inspec-
tor appointed at once."

The following committee was appointed
to look into the best plan to be
pursued in having an inspector ap-
pointed for buildings, building lines and
permits: Messrs. S. G. Cumming, C. T.
Holdaway and H. S. Thompson.

On motion of Mr. Lawson the sec-
retary was ordered to communicate with
the general manager of the Adams
Express Company and see if better facili-
ties could not be given Hampton.

Considerable discussion was brought
about regarding the miserable condition
of the public roads between Hampton
and Phoebus, resulting from the double
tracking of the line of the Newport
News and Old Point Railway Company.
Action on the trouble was deferred to
the next meeting, at which the Associa-
tion purposes the appointment of a
committee known as a "Good Roads
Committee."

After informally discussing the ques-
tion securing new members to come into
the Association the body adjourned.

JONES GOES FREE.

Davis Murder Case to Come up in
County Court To-day.

Charles Jones (colored) was acquit-
ted by the jury in the County Court
yesterday of the serious charge of criminally
assaulting Georgianna Bonds, a
small thirteen-year-old colored girl.
The case occupied the attention of the
court through the day, the verdict be-
ing arrived at just before the hour for
adjournment. The evidence was prac-
tically no evidence. The verdict of the
jury was a foregone conclusion before
they repaired to their room in order to
arrive at an argument. It took but ten
minutes for the jury to bring in its
finding.

Messrs. Fay S. Collier and M. T.
Hughes represented the prisoner as
counsel and as usual conducted their
case with much shrewdness. G. W.
Field, the colored attorney, assisted
Commonwealth's Attorney Montague
in the prosecution, which was vigorously
managed.

The case of T. Hall Davis, Jr., the
young white man, who is charged with
murdering Jettie Johnson (colored) in
his saloon, will be begun in the County
Court to-day. The hearing of the evi-
dence will probably consume two days,
and it is not likely that a verdict will
be reached by the jury before Thursday
or Friday. This case promises to be
one of the most sensational trials that
has taken place in Elizabeth City
County since the famous Haines-Har-
nagan murder case, which attracted
wide-spread attention, was disposed of
several years ago. A special venire
from which a jury to try the case will
be chosen has been summoned, and it
is not thought there will be any hin-
drance or delay from this cause.

The circumstances surrounding the
murder with which young Davis is
charged are of a rather peculiar nature,
and it is understood the defense will
endeavor to disprove that Davis hit the
girl that resulted in Johnson's death.
The Commonwealth will have a number
of witnesses who will go on the stand
and swear that they saw Davis strike
Johnson. At any rate, a heated legal
battle will be fought during the hear-
ing.

Davis will have as counsel, Mr. Fay
S. Collier, whose reputation as a criminal
lawyer is second to none in the State.
Commonwealth's Attorney Montague
will prosecute the case.

The young ladies of "St. Agnes Guild"
of old St. John's Episcopal church, are
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COMING MARRIAGE.

Miss Willie Booker to Become the
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Announcement has been made of the
approaching marriage of Miss Willie
Booker, daughter of Mrs. Emily Book-
er and Mr. William Burbage. The wed-
ding ceremony will be solemnized on
Wednesday evening, December 6th at
the residence of the bride-to-be, in
East End. After the ceremony the
young couple will drive to Old Point
where they will take the steamer for an
extended bridal tour, including Wash-
ington, Baltimore and Stockton, Md.,
the former home of Mr. Burbage. On
their return to Hampton they will make
their home with Mrs. Booker. No
cards will be issued.

Miss Booker is a young lady posses-
ing many sweet and admirable wo-
manly traits and her friends are nu-
merous in secret.

Mr. Burbage is connected with the
Newport News Shipbuilding and Dry
Dock Company, but has been making
his home in Hampton. He is respect-
able, popular with everyone here and in
Newport News.

MR. LATTIMER DEAD.

Mr. William A. Lattimer, aged eighty-
two years, died at his home on Back
river Sunday night at 9 o'clock. Mr.
Lattimer served through the civil war,
and was a gallant Confederate veteran.
He never married. One brother sur-
vives. The funeral services will take
place from his late residence this after-
noon at 3 o'clock. Rev. C. H. Bryan,
pastor of old St. John's Episcopal
church will officiate at the funeral.
The interment will be in the yard which
surrounds the home in which he passed
his life, it having been used once as a
cemetery.

K. L. C. TO MEET TO-DAY.

Keoughian Literary Circle will meet
with Dr. Weiden at the Dixie Hospital
this afternoon at 4 o'clock. The sub-
ject for study will be Mary E. Wilkins,
and an excellent program has been ar-
ranged by Mrs. C. H. Hawkins. Every
member is urged to be present.

BRIEF NOTES.

Miss Ruth Turner who has been visit-
ing Miss Mary Schermerhorn, on Hope
street, has returned to her home in
Norfolk.

Mr. C. D. Parker is ill at his home at
Joy Crossing. Mr. Parker is suffering
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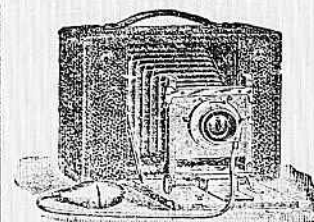
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